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Town Officers

Moderator.

SAMUEL A. HIDDEN.

Representative.

ARTHUR L. MASON.

Town Clerk.

ADDISON R. ROBINSON.

Selectmen.

ROBERT C. SPAULDING. SAMUEL A. HIDDEN.
CHARLES B. WEEKS.

Treasurer.

HARDRESS L. WIGGIN.

Supervisors.

JEREMIAH C. GOODWIN. CALVIN C. KNOWLTON.
HARRY S. HENDERSON.

Collector of Taxes.

CHARLES C. SMITH.

Constable.

ANSEL CUMMINGS.

Road Agents.

ARTHUR R. BENNETT. EDWARD S. HAMMOND.
WILLIAM H. WHITING.

Dog Constable.

FRANK A. BLACKEY.

Cemetery Trustees.

CLARENCE HUTCHINS. WILLIS L. MOULTON.
WILLIAM WEEKS. NATHANIEL BERRY.

Board of Health.

EDWIN REMICK, M. D., Secretary.

Ballot Inspectors.

FRANK O. HOBBS. EDWIN D. HENDERSON.
HARDRESS L. WIGGIN. FRANK P. EVANS.

Auditors.

FRANK P. EVANS. SAMUEL O. KIMBALL.

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L. S.]

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Tamworth, in the County of Carroll, in said State qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said Tamworth, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid for highways.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairing highways and breaking snow for the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairing and building bridges for the ensuing year.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) for maintenance of trunk lines.
7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for construction of the "Ossipee-Meredith" road.
8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for railing dangerous places along highways in said town.

9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day observance.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise in addition to the amount required by law for the support of the town library.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and expend for the prevention of white pine blister rust.

12. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty.

ROBERT C. SPAULDING,
SAMUEL A. HIDDEN,
CHARLES B. WEEKS,

Selectmen of Tamworth.

INVENTORY APRIL 1, 1919.

Real estate, less exemptions	$1,032,625.00
Horses	31,035.00
Mules, 2	300.00
Oxen, 42	5,420.00
Cows, 315	21,260.00
Neat stock, 58	3,815.00
Sheep, 17	144.00
Goats, 6	12.00
Hogs, 12	295.00
Fowls, 145	150.00
Vehicles, 104, including automobiles	23,550.00
Portable mills, 6	1,675.00
Wood and lumber	33,860.00
Municipal bonds and notes	3,000.00
Money on hand, at interest or on deposit	9,710.00
Stock in trade	53,514.00
Aqueducts	500.00
Mills and machinery	7,400.00
	$1,228,265.00

Tax rate $2.00 per $100.

Resident assessment, less poles	$11,097.72
Non-resident assessment	13,467.58
Polls, 256	768.00
	$25,333.30

Appropriations.

Town charges	$1,800.00
Repairing highways and breaking snow	3,500.00
Bridges	1,200.00
Maintenance of trunk lines	1,400.00

Construction of "Ossipee-Meredith" road....	$1,821.00
Railing dangerous places	150.00
Memorial Day appropriation	15.00
Support of town library	100.00
Repairs of town house	100.00
White pine blister rust	150.00
Interest library and cemetery trust funds....	168.60
Interest on school note	72.00
County tax	2,516.08
State tax	5,280.00
School appropriation	6,665.32
Overlay	392.30
	$25,333.30

BALANCE

Town of Tamworth.

ASSETS.

Cash	$5,867.64
Accounts Due to the Town:	
Due from State—Joint Highway Accounts:	
(a) Unexpended balances in state treasury	4,323.91
(b) Unexpended balances in state treasury	1,118.68
Taxes not collected—Levy of 1915	161.62
Total assets	$11,471.85

SHEET

Liabilities.

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Bills outstanding, Conway Electric Light & Power Co., street lights	$234.00
Interest on cemetery trust fund, Fowler's mills	20.96
Due to school district	523.25
Dog licenses, 1919	141.00
State and Town Joint Highway Accounts:	
(a) Unexpended balances in town treasury	4,323.91
(b) Unexpended balances in town treasury	486.09
Trust funds, amount of principal used by town	5,505.00
Total liabilities	$11,234.21
Excess of assets over liabilities—surplus	237.64
Grand total	$11,471.85

Town of Tamworth.

RECEIPTS.

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes—		
Not listed	$65.00	
Amount committed to collector, 1919	25,333.30	
Less abatements, 1919	34.50	
1. Property and poll taxes, current year, actually collected		$25,363.80
2. Uncollected taxes of previous years	$169.62	
Less uncollected taxes of previous years	161.62	
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected		8.00
Total of above collections		$25,371.80
From State—		
3. For highways—		
(a) For trunk line maintenance	$1,900.00	
(b) For trunk line construction	2,000.00	
6. Savings bank tax	923.40	
8. School fund	19.50	
10. Fighting forest fires	40.15	
11. Bounties, 1918 and 1919	66.40	
From County—		
12. For support of poor, 1918 and 1919	252.36	

PAYMENTS—(*Continued*).

PAYMENTS.

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
General Government—	
1. Town officers' salaries	$921.00
2. Town officers' expenses	200.20
3. Election and registration expenses	4.00
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	335.31
Protection of Persons and Property—	
6. Police department, including care of tramps	53.00
7. Fire department, including forest fires	2,088.16
8. Moth extermination, blister rust	100.00
9. Bounties	39.80
10. Damage by dogs	30.00
Health—	
11. Health department, including hospitals	6.00
12. Vital statistics	12.70
Highways and Bridges:	
15. Trunk line maintenance	3,808.95
16. Town maintenance	5,880.53
18. General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	131.88
Libraries—	
19. Libraries	100.00
Charities—	
20. Town poor	334.50
21. County poor	130.65
Patriotic Purposes—	
22. Aid to G. A. R. and Memorial Day exercises	15.00
Public Service Enterprises—	
27. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	10.00
Total current maintenance expenses	$14,191.68

From Local Sources except Taxes:			
14.	Dog licenses	$141.00	
17.	Rent of town hall	92.50	
19.	Interest received on deposits	134.73	
24.	Permits for registration of motor vehicles.....	75.00	
			$5,645.04
	Total current revenue receipts.....		$31,016.84

PAYMENTS—*Concluded.*

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
26. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	$3,000.00	
Loan	90.73	
School district, overdraft, 1918	246.00	
Sale of road machine	19.24	
Total receipts other than current revenue		$33,355.97
Total receipts from all sources		$34,372.81
Cash on hand at beginning of year February 1, 1919		7,245.48
Grand total		$41,618.29
Interest:		
32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	$68.75	
35. Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	190.80	
Total interest payments		$259.55
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
39. Federal Aid construction		4,102.47
Indebtedness:		
44. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		3,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
50. Taxes paid to state	$5,280.00	
51. Taxes paid to county	2,516.08	
53. Payments to school districts	6,390.87	
Total payments to other governmental divisions		14,186.95
Total payments for all purposes		$35,750.65
Cash on hand at end of year, January 31, 1920		5,867.64
Grand total		$41,618.29

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Description.	Value.
Town Hall—	
Lands and buildings	$3.000.00
Furniture and equipment	700.00
Libraries—	
Lands and buildings	2,500.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
Police department, equipment	300.00
Fire department, equipment	2,000.00
Highway Department—	
Lands and buildings	600.00
Equipment	1,400.00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	500.00
Total	$11,500.00

REPORT OF TREASURER.

To R. C. Spaulding, Samuel A. Hidden, and Charles B. Weeks, Selectmen of Tamworth:

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully submit the following statement of the receipts and disbursements of the treasurer for the year ending January 31, 1920:

Cash in hands of treasurer, Feb. 1, 1919	$7,245.48
Resident assessment	11,865.72
Non-resident assessment	13,467.58
To local taxes previous year	8.00
taxes not listed	65.00
state highway department	3,900.00
dog licenses, 1919	141.00
rent of town hall	92.50
bounties, 1918	32.00
bounties, 1919	34.40
state forestry department, 1919	40.15
interest	134.73
county Clifford child account, 1918	121.71
county, Clifford child account, 1919	130.65
automobile tax	75.00

To savings bank tax	$923.40
school fund	19.50
Conway National Bank	3,000.00
note and interest (Perkins)	90.73
school district (overdraft, 1918)	246.00
road machine (Sunshine Driving Club)	19.24
	$41,652.79

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS, GENERAL GOVERNMENT, TOWN HALL.

Mar.	7.	Conway Electric Light & Power Co.	$1.00
May	3.	Conway Electric Light & Power Co.	2.00
June	7.	Chester Robinson, cleaning town house	1.00
	7.	E. S. Mason, cement work	48.75
July	5.	A. S. Fall paint, etc. for town house	115.81
	21.	D. H. Hayford, painting town house	123.25
	21.	F. S. Lord, cement	16.00
Sept.	6.	Edwin Blackey, cleaning town house	3.00
	20.	Milwaukee Dustless Brush Co., floor brush	4.50
Oct.	4.	Edwin Blackey, cleaning office	1.00
Nov.	1.	W. A. Hill, winding town clock	10.00
Jan.	31.	S. A. Hidden, wood for town house	9.00
May	14.	A. J. Goldberg, teaming cement	3.00
			$338.31

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

Feb.	12.	Frank P. Evans, auditor	$2.00
	12.	S. O. Kimball, auditor	2.00
Mar.	11.	A. L. Mason, selectman after settlement, Jan. 31, 1919	15.00
	11.	S. A. Hidden, selectman, after settlement, Jan. 31, 1919	51.00
	11.	R. C. Spaulding, selectman after settlement, Jan. 31, 1919	45.00

Apr.	16.	R. C. Spaulding, services as selectman for current year	$39.00
	16.	Charles B. Weeks, services as selectman for current year	34.50
May	3.	Charles B. Weeks, services as selectman for current year	27.00
	22.	S. A. Hidden, services as selectman for current year	50.00
	28.	R. C. Spaulding, services as selectman for current year	50.00
June	7.	S. A. Hidden, services as selectman for current year	25.00
Dec.	6.	F. A. Blackey, dog constable	20.00
Dec.,	15.	Charles B. Weeks, services as selectman	18.00
Jan.	3.	Charles C. Smith, services as collector	252.00
Jan.	31.	A. R. Robinson, town clerk	40.00
	31.	H. L. Wiggin, treasurer	75.00
	31.	S. A. Hidden, moderator	5.00
	31.	S. A. Hidden, services as selectman	69.00
	31.	Charles B. Weeks, services as selectman	40.00
	31.	R. C. Spaulding, services as selectman	41.00
			$900.50

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

Mar.	11.	S. A. Hidden, expenses	$0.74
Apr.	15.	James H. Matthews & Co., stamp	1.79
	16.	R. C. Spalding, expenses	14.30
Aug.	2.	E. C. Eastman, office supplies	4.95
Nov.	1.	H. L. Wiggin, auto hire	4.00
Jan.	31.	A. R. Robinson, postage and stationery	2.00
	31.	George Underhill, putting wood in town house	.75
	31.	Roy E. Arling, sawing wood	1.25
	31.	A. S. Fall, office supplies	5.60

	31.	H. L. Wiggin, board of town officers	$36.75
	31.	H. L. Wiggin, postage and stationery	2.51
	31.	Charles B. Weeks, postage, telephone	1.98
	31.	S. A. Hidden expense, railroad fare	23.50
	31.	Charles B. Weeks, expense railroad fare	11.08
	31.	R. C. Spaulding, expense	16.50
			$127.70
Mar.	7.	John B. Clarke, printing town reports	72.50

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

Feb.	12.	Frank Evans, ballot clerk, 1918	$4.00
Oct.	4.	J. C. Goodwin, supervisor	7.00
Dec.	6.	C. C. Knowlton, supervisor	6.00
Jan.	3.	E. H. S. Henderson, supervisor	7.50
			$24.50

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

June	7.	Traffic Sign and Signal Co., silent police	$16.00
Oct.	4.	Albert Fortier, lights for silent police	12.00
Dec.	6.	Ansel Cummings, care tramps	10.00
	6.	Ansel Cummings, police service	15.00
			53.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

June	25.	H. C. Knowlton, auto service	$6.00
Aug.	2.	H. C. Knowlton, supplies for fire department	6.25
Sept.	3.	Samuel A. Hidden, warden	71.35
	3.	American La France Fire Engine Co., fire apparatus	1,973.29

Oct.	4.	Roy Arling, auto service.....	$9.00
	18.	R. C. Spaulding, carting fire apparatus from Mt. Whittier.....	3.00
Dec.	6.	E. F. Currier, express and gasoline	2.21
	6.	H. C. Knowlton, gasoline and repairs	11.06
Jan.	31.	Charles B. Weeks, carting fire apparatus from Mt. Whittier.....	3.00
			$2,085.16

MOTH EXTERMINATION.

July	23.	E. C. Hirst, white pine blister rust..	$100.00

BOUNTIES.

Feb.	17.	H. O. Piper, 5 hedgehogs.....	$1.00
Mar.	1.	Millett Perkins, 8 hedgehogs....	1.60
Mar.	11.	Chester Robinson, 6 hedgehogs....	1.20
May	3.	Annie Perkins, 4 hedgehogs.....	.80
	3.	Ed Hammond, 2 lynx, 2 hedgehogs, 1 wildcat	6.80
Oct.	4.	S. Harold Hidden, 35 hedgehogs...	7.00
Nov.	1.	Everett Henderson, 3 hedgehogs..	.60
Dec.	6.	John Sauliner, 2 bears, 2 hedgehogs, 1 wildcat	15.40
Jan.	3.	Ed Hammond, 15 hedgehogs.....	3.00
	3.	Walter Walker, 4 hedgehogs.....	.80
	31.	S. Harold Hidden, 8 hedgehogs ..	1.60
			$39.80

DOG DAMAGES.

Mar.	11.	Lester Moody, damage to sheep.....	$25.00
Sept.	6.	Alston Perkins, damage to 2 lambs	5.00
			$30.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION.

Jan.	31	Edwin Remick, M. D., secretary of Board of Health.....	$6.00

VITAL STATISTICS.

Jan.	31.	A. R. Robinson, *Transcript*.....	$5.70
	31.	L. W. Lord, M. D., birth reports..	2.00
	31.	Edwin Remick, M. D., birth and death reports	5.00
			$12.70

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Summer Highways.

William H. Whiting, Agent.

Apr.	2.	William H. Whiting, agent.....	$106.85
	2.	William H. Whiting, agent....	6.00
	2.	G. Walter Gallup.....	5.00
May	3.	W. H. Whiting	213.50
June	28.	W. H. Whiting.....	163.30
Sept.	6.	W. H. Whiting.....	64.65
Oct.	4.	W. H. Whiting	25.76
Nov.	1.	G. Walter Gallup	16.86
Dec.	6.	G. H. Bryant	16.50
			$618.42

Edward S. Hammond, Agent.

Apr.	23.	Lyman L. Martin.....	$5.00
May	3.	E. S. Hammond	196.50
	13.	E. S. Hammond, ...	100.00
June	7.	E. S. Hammond	1.60
	7.	E. S. Hammond	444.00
	7.	A. C. Page	2.25
Aug.	2.	E. S. Hammond.....	428.50
Dec.	6.	Lyman Martin	22.00
Jan.	3.	E. S. Hammond.....	8.00
	31.	Onslow Ross	3.00
			$1,210.85

Arthur R. Bennett, Agent.

Apr.	30.	Arthur R. Bennett	$500.00
May	3.	Arthur R. Bennett	210.38
June	7.	E. S. Mason	10.00
	13.	A. R. Bennett	400.00
July	7.	E. S. Mason	122.63
Sept.	6.	A. R. Bennett	433.60
	6.	R. C. Spaulding	46.47
Nov.	1.	E. G. Tilton	4.00
Dec.	6.	Ansel Cummings, gravel	5.00
Jan.	3.	Walter Walker	1.25
	31.	Fred Bickford	16.50
	31.	H. B. Stebbins Lumber Co	47.50
	31.	Mrs. T. J. Preston	4.00
	31.	A. R. Bennett	191.00
			$1,992.33

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

June	7.	Alphonso Mason, freight	$1.87
	7.	F. L. Blake, road drags	99.00
Aug.	2.	United Construction Co	26.85
Oct.	4.	Forest Chick & Son	12.40
	4.	R. C. Spaulding, freight and express on repairs	6.49
Nov.	28.	F. L. Blake, road machine repairs	11.50
Dec.	6.	Roberts Bros., freight and cartage	3.41
	6.	E. F. Currier, express and cartage	3.85
Jan.	31.	A. S. Fall, pick handle	.25
			$165.62

WATERING TROUGHS.

Nov.	1.	Charles S. Drew, use of pump.....	$6.00
Jan.	3.	E. F. Pillsbury, watering trough....	3.00
	3.	E. D. Henderson, watering trough..	23.00
			$1,200

BRIDGES.

Apr.	5.	W. H. Whiting	$108.00
May	3.	E. S. Mason	100.30
	3.	W. H. Whiting	91.80
	3.	E. S. Hammond	39.00
June	7.	W. H. Whiting	114.33
	7.	H. B. Stebbins Lumber Co.....	31.58
	7.	Penn. Metal Co., culverts	151.20
	7.	George W. Mason, teaming.....	5.50
	7.	S. A. Hidden, plank	31.80
	28.	W. H. Whiting	242.55
July	7.	E. S. Mason	46.50
Aug.	2.	E. S. Hammond	21.50
	2.	Wonolancet Electric Co., plank.....	24.15
	2.	A. S. Fall	1.26
	2.	W. N. Mason, lumber.....	16.24
Sept.	6.	W. N. Mason, lumber	300.32
Oct.	4.	W. H. Whiting	1.50
Nov.	15.	W. H. Whiting	29.85
Jan.	31.	H. B. Stebbins Lumber Co.....	29.76
			$1,387.14

RAILINGS.

Jan.	31.	A. R. Bennett	$39.00

BREAKING SNOW.

1919.			
Mar.	1.	W. H. Whiting	$43.00
	1.	F. L. Steele, Jr.....	3.00
	10.	E. D. Henderson	18.00
	11.	Johnson Clark	7.00
	11.	F. A. Whiting	5.00
	11.	R. C. Spaulding	9.00

Apr.	2.	Arthur Walden	$10.55
	5.	W. J. Pascoe	19.0[illegible]
	5.	G. Walter Gallup	17.00
May	3.	W. H. Perkins	28.00
Dec.	6.	Roberts Bros.	32.00
	6.	E. F. Currier	65.00
1920.			
Jan.	3.	E. D. Henderson	4.00
	31.	R. B. Moody	30.00
	31.	Ralph B. Smith	18.00
	31.	W. H. Whiting	54.50
	31.	George A. Hatch	1.05
	31.	R. C. Spaulding	7.50
	31.	A. T. Walden	11.25
	31.	A. R. Bennett	53.20
	31.	Roberts Brothers	82.00
			$587.05

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE.

Apr.	2.	S. L. Young	$53.00
	19.	Alphonso Mason	120.50
	23.	Frank Eldridge	8.00
	28.	Frank Eldridge	4.44
May	3.	S. L. Young	147.88
	3.	A. J. Fortier	74.11
	3.	A. J. Fortier	98.00
	3.	A. J. Fortier	98.00
	3.	A. J. Fortier	133.50
	3.	A. J. Fortier	79.50
May	31.	Alphonse Mason	39.75
June	7.	Alphonso Mason	3.25
	7.	S. L. Young	29.40
	7.	H. S. Johnson	139.56
	7.	Frank Eldridge	53.28
	7.	A. J. Fortier	140.00
	7.	A. J. Fortier	77.00
July	5.	H. S. Johnson	204.17
	5.	A. J. Fortier	42.00
	5.	A. J. Fortier	183.00

Aug.	2.	Frank Eldridge	$90.86
	2.	H. S. Johnson	130.47
	2.	W. N. Mason	11.56
	2.	A. J. Fortier	116.99
Sept.	6.	H. S. Johnson	265.09
	6.	Frank Eldridge	93.67
	6.	A. J. Fortier	314.68
Oct.	4.	Frank Eldridge	53.94
	4.	H. S. Johnson	167.50
	4.	A. J. Fortier	169.00
	4.	A. J. Fortier	35.20
Nov.	1.	Frank Eldridge	44.00
	1.	A. J. Fortier	185.12
	1.	A. J. Fortier	13.80
	1.	H. S. Johnson	189.63
Dec.	6.	Frank Eldridge	107.00
	6.	H. S. Johnson	156.70
	6.	A. J. Fortier	24.00
1920.			
Jan.	31.	Frank Eldridge	6.40
			$3,808.95

TRUNK LINE CONSTRUCTION, WHITTIER ROAD.

Alphonso Mason, foreman	$4,102.47

TOWN LIBRARY.

Aug.	2.	Arthur S. Fall, trustee	$100.00
Jan.	31.	Arthur S. Fall, interest on trust fund	42.75
			$142.75

CHARITIES—TOWN POOR.

Charles Dow, board of Phebe Dow	$30.00
Rose Brown, board of Phebe Dow	59.00
Annie L. Perkins, board of Phebe Dow	91.00

SUPPLIES FURNISHED PHEBE DOW.

Jan.	31.	Eva L. Pollard	$4.21
	31.	A. S. Fall	5.96
Nov.	1.	Eva L. Pollard, supplies John Moody	16.76
Nov.	28.	A. H. Harriman, M. D., medical attendance, Elias Thorne	28.00
Dec.	6.	L. W. Lord, M. D., medical attendance, Elias Thorne	7.00
Jan.	31.	Eva L. Pollard, supplies John Moody	19.61
	31.	Edwin Remick, M. D., medical services, E. Thorne	15.00
	31.	Edwin Remick, M. D., medical services, Millett Perkins	10.00
	31.	Edwin Remick, M. D., medical services, Walter Berry	5.25
	31.	Laconia Hospital, Elias Thorne	42.71
			$334.50

COUNTY POOR.

Annie L. Hill, board, Clifford child			$104.00
June	7.	Eva L. Pollard, supplies, Clifford child	13.30
Nov.	1.	Eva L. Pollard, supplies Clifford child	1.75
Dec.	31.	Eva L. Pollard, supplies Clifford child	1.85
	31.	Arthur S. Fall	9.75
			$130.65

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES, MEMORIAL DAY.

May	22.	Elias Downs treasurer	$15.00

CEMETERIES.

1920.			
Jan.	3.	E. D. Henderson, mowing town cemetery	$10.00

ABATEMENTS REFUNDED.

1920.

Jan.	31.	Frank Pascoe, poll, paid in Freedom	$3.00
	31.	Stephen Philbrick, poll, paid in Albany	3.00
	31.	W. H. Johnson, poll, paid in Conway	3.00
	31.	Aldo Stearns, minor	3.00
	31.	Emma J. Robertson, overtax	10.00
	31.	Scott Eldridge, taxed by error	.50
	31.	Stanley L. Young, loss of horse	3.00
	31.	Publishers Paper Co., by error	6.00
	31.	Samuel E. Perkins, unable to pay	3.00
			$34.50

INTEREST.

July	5.	William Weeks, trustee cemetery trust fund	$61.43
Sept.	6.	Clarence Hutchins trustee cemetery trust fund	86.62
Dec.	6.	Conway National Bank, on note	68.75
			$216.80

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS, TEMPORARY LOANS.

Dec.	6.	Conway National Bank, note	$3,000.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS.

Nov.	28.	County tax	$2,516.08
	29.	State tax	5,280.00
			$7,796.08

SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Mary C. Fall, treasurer	$6,214.07
Dog license, 1918	176.80
	$6,390.87

HARDRESS L. WIGGIN,
Treasurer.

We certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer of the town of Tamworth, and find them properly vouched and correctly cast.

FRANK P. EVANS,
SAMUEL O. KIMBALL,
Auditors of Tamworth.

Tamworth, N. H., February 23, 1920.

REPORT OF CHOCORUA CEMETERY, YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1919.

Dr.

Cash on hand	$25.02
Cash from town	61.45
	$86.47

Cr.

Paid for labor	$63.00
Cash on hand	23.47
	$86.47

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM WEEKS,
Trustee.

RIVERSIDE CEMETERY.

Dr.

To received from town	$86.62

Cr.

By paid C. E. Hutchins, labor	$17.00
C. F. Whiting labor	18.00
	$25.00
Cash balance	61.62
	$86.62

CLARENCE E. HUTCHINS,

Trustee.

PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT.

Dr.

To cash on hand	$20.05
appropriation	100.00
interest on West fund to January 31, 1920	42.75
	$162.80

Cr.

By having paid the following bills:	
Lucy A. Cook librarian	$50.00
S. O. Kimball, wood	4.00
A. S. Fall, miscellaneous	1.40
By cash on hand	107.40
	$162.80

ARTHUR S. FALL,

Trustee.

REPORT OF TREASURER, SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Dr.

To cash on hand August 31, 1918	$116.45
Appropriation by law	1,860.00

Dr.

In addition by vote of district	$1,800.00
Salaries	231.00
Administration	100.00
Repairs	250.00
Text-books and pupils' supplies	400.00
Tuition	300.00
Dog license	79.80
Literary fund	94.25
Interest on school note	72.00
Tuition rebate	23.80
Due town of Tamworth, overdraft	246.00
	$5,573.30

Cr.

By having paid the following bills:	
Administration	$221.50
Repairs	110.89
Supplies	297.20
Janitor service	183.25
Transportation	243.00
Tuition	283.00
Insurance	38.00
Fuel	210.81
Miscellaneous	115.35
Teachers' salaries	3,194.00
Cash on hand	676.30
	$5,573.30

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

By having paid the following:	
Mrs. W. H. Whiting	$4.00
Esther F. Page	4.00
R. E. Lane	1.21
Arthur G. Brewster	12.04
Franklin Berry	1.50
Eva L. Polard	4.25
Roland Whiting	1.50

S. O. Kimball	$10.00
Mary C. Fall	3.99
George E. Staples	3.50
R. C. Spaulding	2.04
R. E. Lane	1.62
F. Chick & Son	20.00
C. F. Bickford	3.40
Mary H. Ames	1.08
Mabel Moody	3.75
Mary Ames	2.10
Cora Shannon	4.00
Arthur S. Fall	31.37
	$115.35

FUEL BILLS.

By having paid the following:

W. N. Mason	$66.56
Arling's garage	11.50
A. R. Bennett	21.00
W. N. Mason	37.25
George Tewksbury	18.00
L. D. Bartlett	21.00
Edwin Remick	3.00
Everett Hodgkins	20.00
S. A. Hidden	12.50
	$210.81

INSURANCE BILL.

By having paid the following:

S. A. Hidden	$38.00

TUITION BILLS.

By having paid the following:

Robinson Seminary	$57.00
Robinson Seminary	54.00
Robinson Seminary	54.00
School district of Ossipee	88.00
School district of Conway	30.00
	$283.00

TRANSPORTATION BILLS.

By having paid the following:

S. G. Davidson	$18.00
Joseph Grace	40.00
R. C. Spaulding	78.00
Mrs. Pike Perkins	13.00
Teresa C. Henderson	10.00
R. C. Spaulding	60.00
R. C. Spaulding	24.00
	$243.00

JANITOR BILLS.

By having paid the following:

Harry Hobbs	$7.50
Kenneth Moore	7.50
Harry Hobbs	8.50
Ed Hammond, Jr.	10.00
Kenneth Moore	7.50
Doris Whiting	7.50
Robert Whiting	2.00
Maude S. Davis	8.25
D. B. Alley	35.00
Vivian K. Moody	5.50
D. B. Alley	21.00
Harry D. Hobbs	9.50
Albert Fortier	7.50
Kenneth Moore	7.50
Ed J. Hammond	8.50
Doris Whiting	8.50
Maude L. Davis	11.50
D. B. Alley	10.00
	$183.25

BILLS FOR TEXT-BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

By having paid the following:

Ginn & Company	$22.19
Ed. E. Babb & Company	101.33

D. McNetton & Company	$75.00
Ed. E. Babb & Company	29.71
Ed. E. Babb & Company	68.97
	$297.20

REPAIR BILLS.

By having paid the following:

A. E. Long	$10.75
John F. Chick & Son	8.90
John G. Robinson	23.25
W. N. Mason	44.01
Gilman Brothers	16.98
Paris Thurston	7.00
	$110.89

ADMINISTRATION BILLS.

By having paid the following:

S. A. Hidden	$50.00
R. C. Spaulding	50.00
Everett Hodgkins	50.00
Mary C. Fall	50.00
F. A. Blackey	20.00
A. W. Fisher	1.50
	$221.50

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Fall Term.

By having paid the following:

Estella M. Wiggin	$60.00
Agnes Page	48.00
Hazel Evans	48.00
Evelyn Conrad	48.00
Myra Sanborn	24.00
Mary D'Entremont	96.00
Grace Shannon	80.00
Annabelle Harmon	72.00

Estella M. Wiggin	$60.00
Mary H. Ames	40.00
Hazel H. Evans	48.00
Evelyn Conrad	48.00
Mary D'Entremont	84.00
Agnes Page	48.00
Evelyn Conrad	48 00
Hazel Evans	48.00
Grace Shannon	70.00
Annabelle Harmon	84.00
Mary H. Ames	110.00
Estella M. Wiggin	60.00
Agnes Page	48.00

Spring Terms.

Hazel Evans	$36.00
Evelyn Conrad	36.00
Estella M. Wiggin	45.00
Eunice Hidden	100.00
Agnes Page	36.00
Eunice Hidden	55.00
Estella Wiggin	90.00
Mary Ames	55.00
Hazel Evans	72.00
Agnes Page	84.00
Evelyn Conrad	72.00
Grace Shannon	77.00
Mary D'Entremont	98.00
Alta Nickerson	84.00
Hazel Evans	48.00
Alta Nickerson	96.00
Grace Shannon	88.00
Mary D'Entremont	112.00
Estella Wiggin	135.00
Agnes Page	126.00
Evelyn Conrad	108.00
Hazel Evans	60.00

Mary Ames	$110.00
Eunice Hidden	99.00
	$3,194.00

Respectfully submitted,

MARY C. FALL,

Treasurer.

August 31, 1918, to August 31, 1919.

I certify that these books are correct and properly vouched, and that the balance of cash on hand on August 31, 1919, was $676.30.

F. L. STEELE, JR.,

Auditor.

January 13, 1920.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF TAMWORTH,

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year,
Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year,

SOURCES OF REVENUE.	Actual revenue previous year, 1919.	Estimated revenue ensuing year, 1920.	Increase.	Decrease.
From State:				
Savings Bank Tax	$923.40	$923.40		
For Highways—				
For Trunk Line Maintenance	3,187.46	4,000.00		
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	92.50			
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	134.73			
Sale of Road Machine	19.24			
From Poll Taxes	768.00	1,200.00		
Taxes previous years	8.00			
Taxes not listed	65.00			
Permits for registration of Motor Vehicles	75.00			
Revenue Applicable Only to New Construction and Improvements:				
From State and Federal Government—				
For Trunk Line Highway Construction	7,474.90	2,765.25		
Revenue which Must be Paid to Other Governmental Divisions:				
Dog licenses	141.00	130.00		
Total Revenues from all Sources except Property Taxes	$12,889.23	$9,018.65		
Amount raised by Property Taxes	24,530.80			
Total Revenues	$37,419.03			
Amount of surplus	2,320.76			
	$39,739.79			

NEW HAMPSHIRE

January 31, 1920 to January 31, 1921, compared with Actual January 31, 1919 to January 31, 1920.

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES.	Actual expenditures previous year, 1919.	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1920.	Increase.	Decrease.
Current Maintenance Expenses:				
General Government—				
Town Reports	$72.50	$100.00		
Town Officers' Salaries	921.00	900.00		
Town Officers' Expenses	127.70	125.00		
Election and Registration Expenses	4.00	50.00		
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	335.31	50.00		
Protection of Persons and Property—				
Police Department	53.00	25.00		
Fire Department	2,088.16	50.00		
Moth Extermination	100.00	100.00		
Health—				
Health Department	6.00	6.00		
Vital Statistics	12.70	10.00		
Dog Damage	30.00			
Highways and Bridges—				
Trunk Line Maintenance:				
State's Contribution	3,187.46	4,000.00		
Town's Contribution	1,455.93	2,000.00		
Town Maintenance—				
Summer Highways	3,906.34	4,000.00		
Bridges	1,387.14	1,600.00		
Breaking Snow	587.05	1,500.00		
General Expenses of Highway Department	131.88	100.00		
Education—				
Libraries	100.00	100.00		
Charities—				
Town Poor	334.50	500.00		
Patriotic Purposes—				
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	15.00	20.00		
Public Service Enterprises—				
Cemeteries	10.00	10.00		
Interest:				
On Temporary Loans	68.75			
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	190.80	190.80		
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:				
Highways and Bridges—				
Trunk Line Construction:				
State's Contribution	7,474.90	2,765.25		
Town's Contribution	1,863.50	1,843.50		
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:				
State Taxes	5,280.00	4,080.00		
County Taxes	2,516.08	3,000.00		
Payments to School Districts	6,737.32	7,000.00		
Total expenditures	$39,997.02	$34,125.55		

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT.

Required annual report of school board to district, stating amount of money needed for support of schools and for statutory requirements (See Laws of 1919, 106: 21.)

1. Amount of money required by law ($3.50 on each $1,000 of the 1920 inventory.)

2. Statement in detail of the additional amount of money required for the support of schools, and payment of statutory obligations for the ensuing fiscal year.

	Elementary Schools.	High Schools.
I. Budget (School Money):		
(a) For support of schools..... (This is school money and may be used for maintaining schools including the purchase of fuel and other supplies, the transpor- of pupils and incidental repairs, not exceeding 5 per cent of school money.)	$8,100	
(b) For purchase of text-books and scholars' supplies	520	
(c) For the purchase of flags and appurtenances	10	
(d) For the payment of tuitions at high schools and academies.....		$350
(e) Total amount required for above items	$8,930	$350
(f) Estimate of amount of a $5 tax on the 1920 inventory	6,140	
II. Requirements to Meet Budget:		
(a) For support of elementary schools (If the amount required for elementary schools is more than the amount of a $5 tax—the amount of a $5 tax should be reported—otherwise the amount required.)		$6,140
(b) For support of high school or payment of high school tuitions		350

(Ordinarily districts that support a high school do not pay tuitions. Both items might be required.)		
Total for support of all schools (school money).....		$6,490
III. School Board Report of Assessment Required:		
(1) For the support of schools and the purchase of required books, supplies and flags, and the payment of high school tuition.....		$6,490
Estimated $3.50 tax on 1920 inventory	4,300	
Estimate of additional sums needed	2,190	
(2) For the payment of the per capita tax (statutory)		332
(3) For the payment of debt (statutory).....		
(4) For the payment of interest (statutory).....		
(5) For the payment of other statutory requirements (if any)		155

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Date	Name of Child	No. of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 12	Edith Irene	4	F	Perl C. Grace	Nellie M. Berry	Tamworth	Tamworth
22		12	M	Alvah Davis	Florence B. Wiggin	Ossipee	Ossipee
Feb. 19		8	F	Edward S. Hammond	Mary McGilliory	Ossipee	Antigonish, N. S.
April 21		2	F	Fred H. Whiting	Ethel E. Jeffers	Boston, Mass	Tamworth
June 6	Perley Eugene	1	M	Frank Downs	Frances Haley	Milton	Fryeburg, Me.
16	Helen	3	F	Reed B. Gilman	Maud E. Thurston	Fryeburg, Me.	Shapleigh, Me.
July 12	Ida Evelyn	1	F	Charles W. Brown	Evelyn Whiting	Ipswich, Mass.	Tamworth
7	Theodore Joseph.	6	M	Joseph Moody	Nettie Williams	Boston, Mass.	Tamworth
Aug. 2		2	M	Walter Hutchins	Grace E. Robarge	Tamworth	Tuftonboro
3	Esther Freeman	3	F	F. Lincoln Steele	Margaret W. Twitchell	Cincinnati, Ohio	Dorchester, Mass.
11	Maria Evelyn	3	F	Clifford J. Gilman	Nellie M. D. Moore	Sandwich	Tamworth
Sept. 8	Roger Gates	3	M	William Weston Evans	Mary Esther Joslyn	Townsend, Mass.	Worcester, Mass.
18		9	F	Lewis Robarge	Bessie A. Elliott	Peabody, Mass.	Plymouth
21	Roland Earl	2	M	Leon W. Brookholz	Esther May Sprague	Tamworth	Effingham
Oct. 4	Stanley Moulton	1	M	Harold B. Trask	Emma L. Moulton	Sandwich	Tamworth
18	Frances Unice	5	F	Samuel Harold Hidden	Helen Bassett	Tamworth	Tamworth
Nov. 13	Margaret Julia	1	F	Milford W. Chamberlain	Lulu M. Lyman	Boston, Mass.	Madison
30		3	F	Jos. Exyard Lamountagne	Lenora Bell Arling	Ossipee	Tamworth
Dec. 2	William A	2	M	Charles A. Hill	Grace Cowan	Woburn, Mass	Chelsea, Mass.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age	Occupation of Each at Time of Marriage	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother	No. of Marriage	By Whom Married
Jan. 31	Rochester	Horace Mason	18	Box fitter	Arthur Mason Elizabeth Chick	1	C. L. Corliss Clergyman Rochester
		Blanche Ames	19	Housework	Zimri Ames Ella Palmer	1	
Jan. 30	Laconia	Harry H. Drew	38	Lumberman	Charles F. Drew Fannie Carr	1	——— Clergyman Laconia
		Gladys Jeffers	22	Waitress	Milton Jeffers Abbie Downs	1	
Apr. 16	Manchester	Fred M. Hammond	45	Mill man	D. Weymouth Hammond Mary Marston	4	James W. Smith Clergyman Manchester
		Bertha M. Goodwin	38	Stenographer	Joseph S. Goodwin Fannie S. Smith	1	
May 4	Tamworth	Alfred L. Webster	31	Laborer	George Webster Christina Burr	2	Alonzo Nickerson Clergyman Tamworth
		Minnie F. Welch	18	Housework	James Welch Mabel Schuter	1	
June 11	Conway	Otis Bean	28	Teamster	Otis Bean Mary A. McDearmont	1	Henry A. Peare Clergyman Conway
		Elsia Ida Brown	17	Housework	Alphonso D. Brown Minnie Ella Kennerson	1	
July 13	Tamworth	Ernest A. S. Harrington	27	Machinist	Clarence F. Harrington Mabel E. Grant	1	William W. Evans Clergyman Tamworth
		Flora I. Galucia	27	At home	Charles E. Galucia Harriett E. Homes	1	
Aug. 7	Tamworth	Daniel C. Purrington	45	Laborer	George W. Purrington Susan Moody	2	Alonzo Nickerson Clergyman Tamworth
		Vivian I. Moody	..	Housework	Wentworth B. Hobbs Myra K. Knox	2	
Oct. 28	Tamworth	Harold M. Gray	27	Machinist	Granville M. Gray Lucy M. White	1	Daniel McIntyre Clergyman Ossipee
		Bulah M. Bickford	27	Housework	Wilber J. Bickford Abbie Bickford	1	

Oct.	18	Warner	Roscoe Adjutant	21	Laborer	Willey Adjutant	1	M. S. Howes Clergyman Warner
			Blanche Perkins	18	Housework	Hiram Perkins	1	
						Etta Clough		
Dec.	25	Tamworth	Richard D. Moore	26	Laborer	Edgar H. Moore	1	Alenzo Nickerson Clergyman Tamworth
						Mary Kenerson		
			Eva Ella Shedd	23		Albert L. Shedd	1	
						Ella Chase		
Dec,	25	Tamworth	George Hobbs	23	Mill man	Bert W. Hobbs	1	Alonzo Nickerson Clergyman Tamworth
						Hattie M. Swain		
			Marjie Frost	17		Elibeous Frost	1	
						Minnie Troman		

Deaths Registered in the Town of Tamworth, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1919

Date	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Single, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Mos.	Days						
Jan. 1	Joseph Brackett Lord	81	1	22	Tamworth	M	S	Farmer	Joseph Lord	——— Stanley
1	Emma L. Goodwin	53	1	12	Penacook	F	M	Housewife	Moses H. Bean	Elizabeth Brown
Feb. 10	Valentine Davis	67	5	11	Jackson	M	W	Farmer	Jonathan Davis	
2	Ella M. Knowlton	53	3	13	Sandwich	F	M	Housewife	Daniel Peasley	Harriet W. Fogg
Mar. 28	Annie A. Cotton	64	11	..	Tamworth	F	W	Housekeeper	George W. Evans	Emily A. Hodgdon
Apr, 27	Miria Liberty	..	..	..		F	W			
21	——— Whiting	..	..	..	Tamworth	F	..		Fred H. Whiting	Ethel E. Jeffers
May 9	Joseph Plant	76	7	..	Quebec	M	..	Farmer	Elijah Plant	
1	Mrs. Elias Thorn	72	9	18	Madison	F	M	Housewife	Timothy Gilman	Caroline Crocker
23	Fred L. Moore	58	8	10	Calais, Me	M	W	Storekeeper	William Moore	Catherine Campbell
June 6	Mary Holden	96	9	..	Tamworth	F	M		Aaron Heard	Rhoda Webster
July 12	Lucy M. Gray	61	11	28	Oldtown, Me.	F	M		William N. White	Harriet Lankster
12	Evelyn Ida Brown	17	11	25	Tamworth	F	M	Housewife	William Whiting	Lulu Floyd
Aug. 25	Mrs. Elias Downs	73	8	..	Porter, Me	F	M	"	Nathaniel Rowns	Harriet Porter
19	Elmira Wilson Allard	89	5	7	Newport, Me.	F	W	"	Oliver Rollins	Hannah Clark
Sept. 11	Charles F. Chick	82	1	18	Limington, Me.	M	M	Seaman	Unknown	Unknown
Nov. 4	——— Giddings	..	..	..	Tamworth		..		Robert Giddings	Sadie Webster
15	Annie M. Spaulding	44	9	22	"	F	S	Housekeeper	Addison C. Spaulding	Ida May Felch
Dec. 7	William A. Hill	..	..	5	"	M			Charles A. Hill	Grace Cowan
14	Albert W. Hayford	82	11	7	"	M	W	Painter	Libbeus Hayford	Lydia Huckins

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. R. ROBINSON, Town Clerk.

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